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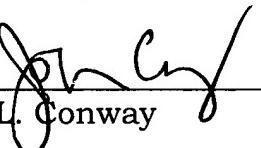
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend claims 13, 21, and 30 as shown below: